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FOIA Case: 70379 26 April 2013

Mr. Michael Morisy c/o MuckRock News Dept MR 4905 PO Box 55819 Boston, MA 02205-5819

Dear Mr. Morisy:

We are in receipt of your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request of 9 April 2013 submitted via Fax for "a copy of the processing schedule, ordering, and other written guidance and policy on the public release of the following NSA generated newsletters: Dragonseeds, Keyword, QRL, and Command." Your request was received in the NSA/CSS FOIA office on 10 April and has been assigned Case Number 70379. You were contacted for additional information via email on 10 April 2013 by our FOIA Requester Service Center Representative, Ms. Cindy Blacker. A copy of that email correspondence is provided herein for your reference.

We are uncertain of the records you seek. Please be advised that we are unable to proceed with the processing of your request until the following can be clarified:

- Explain "processing schedule", and what information you anticipate would be included on such a document
- Explain "ordering", and what information you anticipate would be in such a document
- Explain what documents you are requesting regarding "written policy and guidance on the public release" of the NSA publications noted above
- Explain what "process" you are referencing for FOIA Case 70252

Department of Defense (DoD) Regulation 5400.7-R states that the requester must provide a description of the desired record so that the Government is able to locate the record with a reasonable amount of effort. More detail is required for us to determine the appropriate files to search to find the material you request. In accordance with the DoD regulation, processing of your request was held in abeyance as noted in the attached email pending a response from you, within 30 days (on or about 10 May 2013) of the date